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SUBJECT: FTC/NESTLE CASE

REF: A) STATE 76274; B) BERN 1176

1. EMBASSY HAS DISCUSSED IN GENERAL TERMS REFTEL A (PARTICULARLY PARA 4) WITH SWISS DIVISION OF COMMERCE WHICH HAS PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO FEDERAL COUNCIL (CABINET) FOR RESPONSE IN NATIONAL COUNCIL (LOWER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT) TO EISENRING POSTULAT (REF B) RE US-SWISS JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE TREATY AND ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION IN US AGAINST SWISS FIRMS (I.E., FTC/NESTLE CASE). DIVISION OF COMMERCE OFFICIAL APPRECIATED RECEIVING STATUS REPORT BUT ASKED TO BE INFORMED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN FTC CONSIDERATION OF NESTLE/LIBBY/STOUFFER CASE.

2. SWISS PRESS CONTINUES TO CARRY ARTICLES ON FTC/NESTLE CASE, MOST RECENT OF WHICH BY GUENTER DE THIER FROM WASHINGTON APPEARS IN MAY 15 WELTWOCH. DAVIS

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